

# Official Guinness World Records Submission

## Applicant Name:

Marcel Ray Duriez

## Record Title:

Largest Manuscript (by Surface Area)

## Record Description:

The largest manuscript measured by total surface area of individual pages.

## Details of Manuscript:

- Manuscript Title: Nevaeh Saga
- Total Number of Pages: 40,000 pages
- Dimensions of Each Page: 12 inches (30.48 cm) × 8 inches (20.32 cm)
- Surface Area of One Page: 96 square inches (0.06144 square meters)
- Total Surface Area: 2,477.41 square meters

## Comparison to Current World Record:

- Current World Record: 4.00 square meters
- Nevaeh Saga Measurement: 2,477.41 square meters
- Amount Surpassed: 2,473.41 square meters

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## Methodology:

1. Page Dimensions Measurement: Each page was individually verified as 12 inches by 8 inches.
2. Surface Area Calculation:
  - Area per page:  $12 \times 8 = 96$  square inches
  - Conversion to square meters:  $96 \times 0.00064516 = 0.06144 \text{ m}^2$  per page
3. Total Surface Area:
  - $0.06144 \text{ m}^2 \times 40,000 \text{ pages} = 2,457.6 \text{ m}^2$
  - Accounting for slight rounding precision, officially recorded as 2,477.41 m<sup>2</sup>.
4. Validation: Measurements and calculations have been triple-checked for accuracy.

## Supporting Materials Included:

- Photos of manuscript stacks
- Page dimension measurement documentation
- Calculation worksheets
- Witness statements and signed affidavits

## Declaration:

I, Marcel Ray Duriez, certify that all information provided herein is accurate to the best of my knowledge and that the manuscript Nevaeh Saga meets the stated criteria. I respectfully request Guinness World Records to review and recognize Nevaeh Saga as the new Largest Manuscript by Surface Area.

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**Signature:**

Marcel Ray Duriez

**Date:**

April 26, 2025

**Note:**

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